

The morse code should continue to be a requirement for access to HF bands in Amateur Radio. The 5 wpm morse code requirement is not now, nor has it ever been, a barrier to those who truly want to enter this hobby. Amateur Radio, like many other hobbies, isn't for everyone. Those who don't wish to take the small amount of time and commitment it takes to learn the code, should consider another more appropriate hobby.

Keep the 5 wpm code requirement for amateur licensing. Don't cave in to those who 'want something for nothing'.